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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: Sandwich Isles Communications, Inc. Petition for Declaratory Ruling WC Docket No. 09-133

Notice of Ex Parte

## Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 12, 2010, Sandwich Isles Communications, Inc. ("SIC") counsel Dana Frix and the undersigned met with Marcus Maher, Albert Lewis, Jennifer Prime, Pamela Arluk, Lynne Engledow, and Richard Kwiatkowski of the Commission to discuss the Declaratory Ruling made in the above-referenced proceeding on September 29, 2010. Mr. Frix and I discussed facts already on the record relating to the allocation of Paniolo lease costs between terrestrial and undersea fiber. Excerpted portions of prior filings, such as the SIC Comments of August 2009, were provided for reference purposes.

Should additional information be necessary in connection with this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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See Comments of Sandwich Isles Communications, Inc., WC Docket No. 09-133 (Aug. 31, 2009).